Amendment No. 2 to HB0258

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 185*

House Bill No. 258

By adding the following new section to precede the effective date section:

SECTION ____. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 70-1-201(a), is amended by adding the following language between the second and third sentences:

It is the intent of the general assembly that the membership of the commission should represent the average sportsmen in Tennessee whose purchase of hunting and fishing licenses support the agency. Three (3) of the members of the commission appointed by the governor shall be from lists of nominees submitted by organizations representing persons who enjoy outdoor activities involving wildlife, including fishing, hunting, wildlife conservation and the taking of waterfowl. Commissioners shall have had a hunting and sport fishing license for not less than four (4) years immediately prior to such person's appointment and shall have been a resident of Tennessee for no less than five (5) years prior to such person's appointment.